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UM STUDENTS EARN HEARST JOURNALISM AWARDS

MISSOULA--

Three University of Montana-Missoula students were recognized during the 1998 Hearst Journalism Awards Program. Students from 105 colleges and universities with accredited undergraduate journalism programs participated in the program.

Junior Stuart Thurlkill earned sixth place and a \$500 award in the photojournalism category. Thurlkill is from **Missoula** and a graduate of Hellgate High School.

Kathleen Jones, a 1997 UM graduate, placed 12th in the television category. A native of **Turner Valley, Alberta**, she now works for KULR-TV in **Billings** and KFBB-TV in **Great Falls**.

Bruce Ely, a 1997 UM graduate, placed 15th in photojournalism. A native of **Spokane, Wash.**, Ely now works for the Roanoke Times in **Roanoke, Va.**

Overall, UM claimed fifth place in accumulated school points from the three photo competitions during the Intercollegiate Photojournalism Competition.

Now in its 38th year, the Journalism Awards Program is held at member colleges and universities of the Association of Schools of Journalism and Mass Communication. The program -- which includes six writing contests, a broadcast news competition and a photojournalism contest -- offers scholarships totaling \$360,000 to undergraduate journalism majors with matching grants to their respective schools.

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